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1 – 184.   (CANCELLED)

185.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A method implemented by a device, comprising:

generating a purchase price of a purchase;

generating a rounded price;

calculating a round-up amount; the round-up amount being a difference between the purchase price and the rounded price; and

printing an entry in a lottery in which a prize for winning the lottery is proportional to the round-up amount.

186.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 185, in which generating the rounded price comprises:

rounding up the purchase price to a whole number.

187.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 185, in which generating the rounded price comprises:

calculating a lowest whole number that is greater than the purchase price.

188.   (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 187, in which ~~generating the rounded price comprises:~~

~~determining a~~ the lowest whole number ~~that~~ is a multiple of five.

189.   (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 187, in which ~~generating the rounded price comprises:~~

~~determining a~~ the lowest whole number ~~that~~ is a multiple of one.

190 – 191.   (CANCELLED)

192.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) An apparatus, comprising:

a processor; and

a memory storage device in communication with the processor,

     the memory storage device storing a program which controls the

processor to:

     generate a purchase price of a purchase;

     generate a rounded price;

     calculate a round-up amount; the round-up amount being a difference

between the purchase price and the rounded price; and

     print an entry in a lottery in which a prize for winning the lottery is

proportional to the round-up amount.

193.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A method implemented by a device,

comprising:

     generating a purchase price of a purchase;

     generating a rounded price;

     calculating a round-up amount; the round-up amount being a difference

between the purchase price and the rounded price; and

     displaying an offer to exchange the round-up amount for an entry in a lottery

in which a prize for winning the lottery is proportional to the round-up amount.

194.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) An apparatus, comprising:

a processor; and

a memory storage device in communication with the processor,

the memory storage device storing a program which controls the

processor to:

generate a purchase price of a purchase;

generate a rounded price;

calculate a round-up amount; the round-up amount being a

difference between the purchase price and the rounded price; and

display an offer to exchange the round-up amount for an entry

in a lottery in which a prize for winning the lottery is proportional to

the round-up amount.

195.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 193, in which

displaying the offer comprises:

displaying text explaining that the entry in the lottery may be purchased for

the round-up amount.

196.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 193, in which

displaying the offer comprises:

displaying text that identifies at least one of the round-up amount and the

rounded price.

197.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 193, further

comprising:

printing the entry.

198.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 193, further comprising:

receiving an input indicating acceptance of the offer.

199.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 193, further comprising:

determining a unique identifier that identifies the entry.

200.   (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 199, further comprising:

storing the unique identifier and the round-up amount in a database.

201.   (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The method of claim 193, further comprising:

~~determines~~ determining a value of the prize.

202.   (NEW) The method of claim 185, further comprising:
exchanging the entry for the round-up amount.

203.   (NEW) The method of claim 193, further comprising:
exchanging the entry for the round-up amount.